

Quick Facts

LOCATION

The Town of Vinton is located in eastern Roanoke County, served by Route 24/Washington Avenue, which is utilized as an arterial roadway providing access to Smith Mountain Lake and the Blue Ridge Parkway to the east. An additional roadway providing access to the east is Route 634/Hardy Road. Route 24 also provides Vinton with its principle connection to Roanoke City and Interstate 581. The latter connects to Interstate 81 which is a major north and south thoroughfare serving the eastern United States.

The Town is located in the center of the Roanoke Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA), the largest metropolitan area in Southwest Virginia. Both Roanoke County and the Town of Vinton are considered part of the Roanoke Valley-Alleghany Regional Commission (RVARC), a vast urban planning area containing over 260,000 residents. Four (4) counties and three (3) independent cities comprise the Roanoke Valley-Alleghany Planning District. The City of Roanoke (2000 US Census pop. 94,911) borders the Town of Vinton on the west and is the closest urban district to the Town.

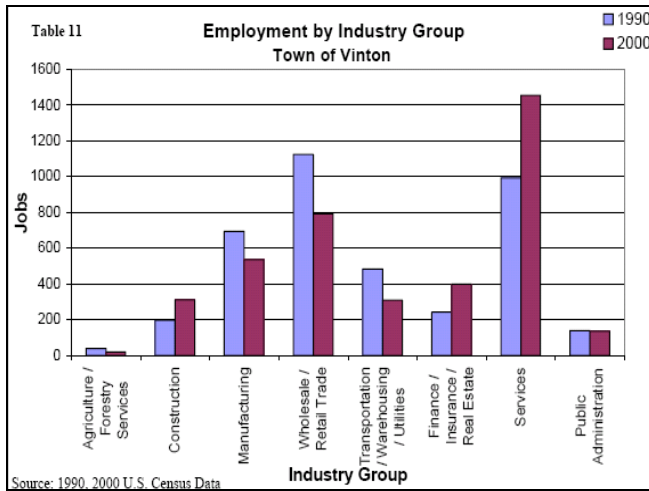


DEMOGRAPHICS

POPULATION	7,782
PER CAPITAL INCOME	\$16,817
MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME	\$32,620
MEDIAN AGE	37.9

LABOR FORCE (CIVILIAN)	4,016
EMPLOYED	3,954
UNEMPLOYED	62
UNEMPLOYMENT PERCENT	2%

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LOCATION FROM MAJOR MARKETS (MILES)

ATLANTA	440
BALTIMORE	272
CHARLOTTE	200
CHICAGO	724
DETROIT	587
NEW YORK	457
NORFOLK	278
PHILADELPHIA	395
PITTSBURGH	347
RICHMOND	183
ST. LOUIS	688
WASHINGTON, D.C.	237

EDUCATION

2009-2010 Enrollment*

Herman L. Horn Elementary	413
W.E. Cundiff Elementary	474
William Byrd Middle	915
William Byrd High	1,181

Educational Attainment

High School Graduate	37.9%
Associate Degree	6.3%
Bachelor's Degree	7.6%
Graduate or professional	2.5%

Average Class Sizes*

Preschool	16:0
Kindergarten - 2nd Grade	18:0
3rd Grade - 5th Grade	21:0
Middle School	25:1
High School	25:1
Average Pupil-Teacher Ratio	22:1

*Source: Roanoke County School System

All statistical information provided by the U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census 2000 unless otherwise noted.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Bank of America	BB&T
Carter Bank and Trust	First Citizens Bank
First National Exchange Bank	Member One Federal Credit Union
Stellar One	Suntrust Bank
Valley Bank	Wachovia Bank, N.A.